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1. (Unclassified - LLM) Called John Lawton, Congressional Liaison Representative, Civil Service Commission, to determine what position the Commission was taking on H. R. 7935, Fair Labor Standards Act Amendments, in view of the fact that it extends coverage to all Federal employees. I asked what their analysis of the impact of the bill would be in view of the fact that newly covered Federal employees are exempted from the overtime provision of the Act and per the committee report are paid above the minimum rates. Lawton said he would check and call back.

2. (Unclassified - LLM) John Sherman, Legislative Assistant to Representative Henry Reuss (D., Wis.), called and in response to his questions, I reviewed a little bit of the legislative history of the National Security Act of 1947; the problems with explicit statutory language on intelligence activities, and, in the absence of such language, the possibilities of effective legislative oversight.

3. (Unclassified - LLM) During the day, spoke with Ted Kazy, House Post Office and Civil Service Committee staff, and Robert Hull, Department of State, concerning the prospects and implications of H. R. 9257, which concerns retirement deduction rates for Federal employees. (See Note for File.)

